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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Yuuji TANJO, et al.

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

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Title: RECHARGEABLE LITHIUM ION BATTERY

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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These amendments and remarks are filed in response to the final Office Action dated  
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